

The Bloomfield Record.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The canal is expected to open for business on April 5th.

Way Semper has moved from Spruce St. to Bay Ave.

The annual town meeting will occur on Monday, April 3d.

N. Noble Colfax is slowly recovering from a severe attack of lumbago.

Eliza W. Chittling will occupy his house at Park Ave., April 1st.

Mr. Theo. H. Ward will have a Salaburg at his house next Wednesday eve.

Thos. Rawson and family of 512 Broad St. will move on April 1st to 261 Spruce St.

Geo. B. Smith and family of Liberty St. go to New York City to-morrow and will reside on East 9th St.

A sneak thief got into Fred B. Biddulph's room in Montclair while he was at supper Tuesday night, and stole his overcoat.

There will be a special meeting of the Town Committee at 3 P. M. Saturday, at which sewer matters will be considered.

The father of Charles Tegulus of Thomas St. died in Philadelphia, Pa., on last Saturday. He was 69 years old.

Among the pleasant events of next week will be the wedding of J. Herbert Noble and Miss Jennie Stalker on Wednesday, March 24th.

Mrs. Bridget Healey has vacated the house she occupied on Upper Broad St., and has opened her store on the corner of Monroe and Broad Sts.

The Bloomfield Cadet Corps have adopted a gray cadet uniform and will appear in them on Decoration Day.

Henry Walters, pickle manufacturer of Sobol will occupy the premises 512 Broad St., after April 1st, and carry on the business there.

The Essex County Christian Endeavor Society will meet in the Montclair Congregational Church on April 3d. The programme of exercises will be a full one.

Meeting of Wm. S. Pearson Post G. A. R. to-night. There will be interesting features introduced during the hour for "good and wellfare."

Royal Arcanum Council meet to-night in Knights of Honor Hall. There will be a short talk by one of the long headed Arcanumites.

Mrs. M. R. Wolfe of Montclair, who is a teacher at Miss Northall's school, has been ill for the past week. Mrs. Jean Hutchingson has taken her place.

Phil Kearney Council N. P. U., had several propositions for membership at its meeting on Monday night. A jury trial will be had at the next meeting of the Council.

There was an informal gathering of friends at the home of Mr. L. K. Dool, Linden Ave., last Thursday evening which was very pleasant in its character of enjoyment.

Chas. M. Bullock, formerly of Bloomfield, the father of Stanton P. Bullock, died at his residence in New York City on March 21st. The funeral took place last night and the burial will be made in Worcester.

It is reported that Mr. Wm. Metcalf has purchased the green house belonging to Mr. J. J. Smith on Park St., and proposes to have it moved down to his home on Broad St. Mr. Metcalf's health is so poor that he does not wish to continue the business.

John Grimm, a lad living corner Spruce St. and Belleville Ave., while going along James St., last Saturday, was attacked and badly bitten by a dog belonging to Thos. Seamus.

Harry Freeman of Thomas St., while driving on Glenwood Ave. on Monday night collided with one of A. D. Schuler's drays by R. Maxwell. Freeman was thrown out of his wagon badly injured. He escaped unhurt.

Muriel Jackson, colored, aged 13 years, was arrested by constable Smith on Saturday on the complaint of the boy's mother. He stole \$5.00 from her, and also forged an order for \$1.00 upon Mrs. Bromley. He was sent to jail and will be put in the Reformatory School.

The report made a few days since that Chas. A. Clark had gone to Woonsocket was incorrect. He left town on Wednesday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will take charge of manufacturing druggists' sundries for the Cleveland Rubber Company.

The Superintendent of public works and the Surveyor, measured off Mechanic St., where the foundation is being dug, for the new Iron Works. They found that at one corner the building would encroach a foot or two upon the street. The owners on the adjacent lot in regard to it, agreed to put the building back of the street line.

The Boston Orange syndicate consumed the purchase of the Croswort railway on Saturday. It is said that they paid for the road and Glenwood Park \$129,000. Just as soon as the road can be inspected it will be rebuilt and changed to an electric system. They promise finally upholstered cars run at frequent intervals and that the road will be operated for the interest of the dear people.

Mrs. Bogert and her sister Mrs. Knight of Glen Ridge, entertained the Cyclone Bowling Club on the evening of the 17th. In the course of the evening there appeared a number of reminders of St. Patrick. The serving of refreshments was followed by dancing later in the evening. Mr. F. M. Cassitt took photographs of the guests.

The people of Montclair will have two electric railroad propositions to consider at the annual town meeting, one being the extension of the Orange and Bloomfield Cross-town line, and the other being the Jersey City Gridiron system which will run a line up Bloomfield Ave.

Health Inspector Corby has been kept busy in looking after the scarlet fever cases in this locality and has installed upon the law being fully complied with in every case.

A Book Sociable.

The Willing Circle, King's Daughters of the Baptist Church, held a Book Sociable on Wednesday evening in the Sunday School room. It was well attended notwithstanding the rain storm. The feature of the occasion was a circulating library to which a gentleman paid a small sum of money for the privilege of having the book for ten minutes. Then if he found the young lady who was dressed to represent the book he had the exquisite pleasure of reciting her down stairs and discuss books over a dish of ice cream. Then there was cake and candy all to be had for a price. The pleasures for the young men were unbounded, having to find the young lady who represented the book, eat cream, cake and candy with her, and then finally a promenade around the Sunday School room. Some of the letters were easier than others to guess, as for instance, Miss Fannie Garabrant was booked as "Arabian Nights," Miss Etta Way, "The Endless Chain," represented by a chain without end worn as part of her head-gear, etc.; Miss Pearl Lewis with a ladder was of course "The Lamp Lighter," Miss Ward, "Red Riding Hood," Miss Minnie Smith as "A Woman's Reason" was a scarf over her right shoulder with the word "because." The circulating library was well patronized and as there was a young lady behind every book quite a sum of money was realized. It was for some benevolent object—but that is a secret of the Willing Workers we were told.

A \$2,000,000 Company Willing to Shed Its Light on Essex County.

The New Jersey Light and Heat Company with a capital of \$2,000,000 was incorporated in Newark on Tuesday. The incorporators are Geo. R. Gray of Newark, Emerson McMillin, Columbus Ohio, and Henry B. Wilson of New York. The object of the company is to manufacture machinery for making and using gas and electricity. It also has the right to contract for lighting, heating and mechanical purposes, to acquire the franchises of other companies, also to construct conduits to carry wires in the streets. It is said that its first step will be to buy up and absorb the Newark Gas Light Company, which in view of the agitation just now in Bloomfield about water and light, is of interest to all our citizens.

The Orange Sewers.

The annual report of the Orange Sewer Committee was submitted to the Common Council last Monday. Orange is confronted with financial difficulties as the actual cost for completing the sewer system, engineer Bassett says will be \$50,000 and possibly a round million—making two hundred thousand dollars in excess of the original estimate. As it has exhausted its full legal ability to borrow money on sewerage account, some other way of raising the means will have to be provided. The difference between the cost and the final estimate of engineer Bassett is due in a large measure to the extraordinary difficulties of the work, in the shifting quicksands, that underlie the entire city. While Bloomfield is contemplating public works, too much cannot be had in making estimates that will be safe beyond any peradventure.

Interesting to Fraternal Insurance Societies.

Among the other bills passed by the last legislature is one which affects the Fraternal or Co-operative Insurance Societies of New Jersey. In Bloomfield alone there are at least ten societies which will have to pay tribute under the new law. All beneficial organizations under this law are under the control of the Commissioners of Banking and Insurance and the fees are as follows: For filing certificate of charter \$10.00; for every filing the annual report \$5.00; for every copy of any paper filed in his office eight cents per folio; for making his official seal on such copy and certifying the same \$1.

The Emoluments of an Assemblyman.

The pay of a member of the Assembly is five hundred dollars, and as the railroads turnish passes the legitimate expenses of a member are very small. Stationery and all that it is useful for a member to have in his desk is supplied by the government; yet an "Incidental expense" bill has been passed which gives to each member two hundred and twenty-five dollars. The member from the eleventh district might tell us what the items were that swelled the bill. Seven hundred and twenty-five dollars cash to each member and what did the people get in return?

Stone Road Construction, Etc.

During the last eight years there have been expended for stone road construction the following amounts:

1885	\$2,233.80
1886	4,731.20
1887	5,943.13
1888	6,668.09
1889	5,494.10
1890	7,067.77
1891	9,405.65
1892	18,296.08
	\$39,739.82

There are about 50 miles of roads in the Township and there have been laid 15 37-100 miles of Telford pavement.

Appreciates The Record.

The last two issues of the RECORD are so exceptionally good, especially that of last week, that I beg the privilege of thus publicly commending it. As a constant reader I have been gratified to see such a marked improvement from the first number of the second series. From having much to contend with and many things to overcome, it has come to be for subject matter, local items and literary character all that a first class local paper needs to be. Its devotion to all that pertains to the good of our town, its sensible editorials and "What-Nows" and its high moral tone, render it a desirable visitor in every family. Allow me to congratulate you upon your success and wish The RECORD a still brighter and more prosperous future.

Editorial Record.

At the Subscription Concert to be given by Montclair Orchestra Society in Montclair April 7th, Miss Amy Ward Murray of Newark will be the soloist, and the Bloomfield Madrigal Society will contribute two numbers.

Political Notes.

Republican Primaries will be held next Tuesday, March 28th, at 3 P. M.

F. S. Benson is a candidate for Assessor in the Second Ward.

There is a Committee-at-large, one member of Town Committee and one Assessor to be elected; also five members of the Republican Executive Committee from each ward.

The First Ward has 21 delegates, Second Ward 19 delegates, and the Third Ward 26 delegates to the Republican Convention to nominate the Committee-at-large and other town officers.

Democratic primaries will be held next Monday and the convention on Tuesday.

Names of candidates are being held back on all sides.

Rumor has brought out the names of very many citizens, but the emoluments of office are so small and the honors are not tempting, good business men are averse to giving up so much valuable time to township affairs.

The attendance at ward primaries is of paramount importance this year, as grave responsibilities will rest upon the officers chosen for next year.

The primary meeting is the effective place to do the kicking.

This is the people's time to have something to say and they should be on hand to speak their piece.

The action of the "Big Four" in Town Committee may have been good tactics but was very poor politics, so said one who knows politics from A to Z.

Should Brookdale and Watessing each send a member to the Town Committee, extremes will meet.

Martin Hummel showed lots of sand last Monday and if he had as good command of the English language as he has of the German, he would have astonished some of his co-laborers. As it was he has made a record to be proud of.

Watessing and East Orange.

The Watessing Free Library has been suffering from petty thieving. Periodicals and illustrated papers have been missed for sometime. The annoyance has become so great that the services of detective have been called in.

Scarlet fever is prevalent in some of the streets of Watessing, one family on Westcott St., having five children sick with it.

The voters of this section want representation in the Town Committee and say they will vote for a good man from their parts of the town without regard to politics. They want schools and better postal facilities.

There will be a meeting to-night in the old Bethel Church on Dodd St., to discuss the question of garbage crematories. It is the purpose of the residents of East Orange and Watessing to form an organization for mutual protection against anything of the kind on Glenwood Ave.

Nellie Kuchline of Willow St., was badly hurt in falling down stairs Tuesday in the Sabury and Johnson Drug Mills.

An Elegant Easter Display.

In making your relative or friends an Easter gift, let it be from the beautiful store of W. & S. Sons, 755 Broad St., Newark. Such exquisite spoons in enamel, sterling silver, rich pearl and silver combinations have never before been shown and as for silver spoons, you can spend a dollar or ten and receive full value each time. By all means visit their store when in Newark.

Church Notes.

At the annual election of trustees in Park M. E. Church last Friday night the following were elected for one year: Geo. W. Heath, A. H. Olmsted, Theo. Cadmus, Geo. Hunt, Lewis Dawkins, C. E. Van Winkle, Frank H. Baker, C. G. Clark and A. S. Denton.

Rev. A. Mann of Orange will preach to-night for Chr. St. Episcopal Church in the Presbyterian Sunday School room. He is a talented speaker and all who attend will be repaid.

Rev. Albert Clement of Watessing has been suffering from a severe attack of malaria. He was unable to preach before Presbyterian Post last Sunday night.

Rev. Jos. Maxfield preached in the Baptist Church last Sunday. Mr. Cook having gone to Philadelphia on a visit.

The wife of Rev. Mr. Van Barschütz of Newark is dangerously sick. Mr. Barschütz assisted in the special services held in the Baptist Church.

The ladies of Westminster Church are holding prayer meetings every day this week, for the cause of foreign missions.

A Sunday School for colored children has been organized in the Bloomfield Building and Loan rooms, of which Henry Hubert is Superintendent; J. W. Cole, Assistant Superintendent; Thos. Lewis, Secretary, and Miss Grace Berry, Treasurer.

The Silent Battle.

At the Standard Theatre, New York City, Charles Frohman's Comedians, now in their fourth year, are to appear Monday evening, March 27th, in a new play, this time an American work, entitled "The Silent Battle" and of which Isaac Henderson is the author. The comedy was produced originally by Charles Wyndham at his Criterion Theatre, London, where it is still running. It was and still is a great success in England. The story has more interest than is usually found in comedy. Its human interest dominates every other quality. With an unbroken record of popular and artistic successes that began with "Mr. Wilkinson's Widow" over three years ago, and to which "The Sportsman" has just been added there is every reason to believe that Charles Frohman's Comedians will make a new and important triumph in "The Silent Battle." Joseph Holland, who is another John Drew, will have a fitting role in the new comedy and all the skilled players will be assigned work that will help to increase their histrionic reputations in the metropolis where they are all favorites.

The Cost of a Pair of Glasses.

Heretofore, to be properly fitted for glasses, involved a lengthy and tedious examination, and was very expensive. Now the same accurate work is done by J. J. Kendall, Optician, of 983 Broad St., Newark, N. J., and the only expense is for the glasses, the prices for which are from \$1.00 to \$2.50 for steel frames, and from \$3.00 to \$10.00 for gold frames.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Bloomfield N. J., for the week ending, March 24, 1893.

Advertiser: Taylor, Josiah.

Berens, Mrs. H. O'Neill, Wm. Hastings, Miss M. A. Lafayeth, Miss Etta Hetzel, Mari.

T. E. HAYES, Postmaster.

A Daring Woman in Tibet.

Amateur photography is not in high favor in Tibet. The residents of Tachendo were lately thrown into a great state of excitement by the arrival of a European woman with a camera. She made her appearance riding down the dirty, narrow, winding main street astride a diminutive pony, followed by her cavaliers clad in flannels and straw hats and seated on horseback.

When she came to an imposing looking building, the town house of the superintendent, she dismounted and tried to set up her camera, but in vain. The crowd so harassed her that she found it impossible. Then she endeavored to induce some native priests to have their portraits taken. But the very idea terrified them, for they are the most abjectly superstitious people in the world, and taking their picture means to their minds robbing them of their souls.

But the artist's ambition had been fired by the knowledge that two years before an Englishman had taken the country round failed to take a single photograph, although he had made several attempts. At length she got her stand fixed in a corner of the courtyard, and her companions having driven off the rabble she managed to secure a good view of the Buddhist temple.

As she was moving forward to get half a dozen fierce Tibetan dogs, let loose, meanwhile, rushed up, seized her staff with their teeth, wrestled it away from her, and she was only saved from further molestation by her companions, who succeeded in keeping the dogs at bay and escorting her through the gateway.

The scene was a most curious one, like statues, draped in their crimson scarfs, and never moved a finger to call the dogs off or render assistance.—Buffalo News.

St. Peter and the Boston Woman.

This is a story that was once told to St. Peter by a woman sitting outside his gate. He had objected to her entering, although she had answered most of his questions straightforwardly and satisfactorily enough. "I do not like," said St. Peter, surveying her critically, as doubtless was his duty under the circumstances. "I do not like that fretful pucker between the brows. I do not like that deep grave line of mockery that runs across your nose from the nostril to the lips. Such lines are not popular over there," with a gesture toward the shining gate. "As a rule, we suggest to their owners a temporary sojourn where—well, where it's warm enough to insure their melting out, so to speak," said St. Peter politely.

The woman smiled wistfully. "I know as well as you do," said she, "that those lines mean impatience and fretfulness and ill temper and much unloveliness of the sort that is not welcome beyond the whitewash. But what I want to know is, are we judged by the lines alone, regardless of how we came by them? Do we all fare alike—those of us who are born fretful, who achieve fretfulness or who have fretfulness thrust upon them?" St. Peter resignedly settled himself for a colloquy. "This comes," he murmured resentfully under his breath, "of the higher education of women! When they were kept in their places in the lower world, they went to their places in this without boring a saint with argument!"—Boston Commonwealth.

Rise of the Violet.

The "modest violet" has outlived its reputation as a neglected, unnoticed flower. Its odor finds place in my lady's bouquet, in toilet water, scent sachets and perfumed bottles. Her dainty clothing is embroidered with violets. Her pretty gauze fan is sewed with them. A tiny bunch of their purple sweetness is tucked in the puffs of her hair, and a large cluster adorns her coat when she walks down the fashionable avenue. "Not one of all the flower sisterhood has claimed so much attention in recent years or been so persistently imitated for general use.—Exchange.

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Church Notes.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. Charles A. Cook, pastor.

Services at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 12 M.

Park Methodist Episcopal.—Rev. R. B. Collins, pastor.

Services at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6.45 P. M. Strangers welcome.

WATRESSING METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. Albert Clement, pastor.

Preaching at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Class meeting at noon. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Epworth League vesper service at 6.45 P. M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. H. W. Ballantine, D. D., pastor.

Preaching morning and evening by the Rev. Dr. Campbell.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. Geo. A. Paul, pastor.

Services at 10.30 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Gospel Tract Service at 7.30 P. M. Strangers always welcome.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. Edwin A. White, Rector.

Services will be held in the Sunday School room of the First Presbyterian Church.

Celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Morning Prayer, 9 A. M. and 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M. Evening prayer with sermon at 7.30 P. M.

Lenox Services.—Evening, Tract, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 4.30 P. M. Wednesday, Litany at 11 A. M. Friday evening, service at 8 o'clock.

GLENN RIDGE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, COR. of Bellevue Avenue and Clark street.

Rev. Frank J. Goodwin, Pastor.

Service at 10.30 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Sunday School at 3 o'clock. Christian Endeavor Meeting at 7.15 P. M.

A series of Lenten preaching services will be held in the new hall, next Monday and will continue from Monday, March 27th, to Friday, March 31st. The following ministers will preach:

Monday, March 27th.—The Rev. Edward Judson, D. D., pastor of the Memorial Baptist Church, New York.

Tuesday, March 28th.—The Rev. J. Clement French, D. D., pastor of the Park Presbyterian Church, New York.

Wednesday, March 29th.—The Rev. Chas. H. Everett, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational Church, East Orange.

Thursday, March 30th.—The Rev. Henry Spillmeyer, D. D., pastor of the Central M. E. Church, Newark.

Friday, March 31st.—The Rev. Abbott E. Kittredge, D. D., pastor of the Madison Avenue Dutch Reformed Church, New York.

Church of the Sacred Heart.—Rev. J. M. Nardello, Pastor. First Mass and sermon, 8.30 A. M. High Mass and sermon, 10.30 A. M. Sunday-school 3 P. M. Vesper services, 7.30 P. M.

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